

January Session, A.D. 2021

SENATE CALENDAR

IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 2021 in Sapinsley Hall at Rhode Island College

- 1.** Reappointment of Michael Mello (Council on Postsecondary Education) to the Board of Education for a term expiring January 31, 2023.

Committee on Education recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

- 2.** Reappointment of Marianne F. Monte (Council on Postsecondary Education) to the Board of Education for a term expiring January 31, 2023.

Committee on Education recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

- 3.** Reappointment of Jo Eva Gaines (Council on Elementary and Secondary Education) to the Board of Education for a term expiring January 31, 2024.

Committee on Education recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

- 4.** Reappointment of Colleen A. Callahan, Ed. D. (Council on Elementary and Secondary Education) to the Board of Education for a term expiring January 31, 2024.

Committee on Education recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

- 5.** Reappointment of Lawrence E. Purtill (Council on Elementary and Secondary Education) to the Board of Education for a term expiring January 31, 2024.

Committee on Education recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

- 6.** Appointment of Cornelius M. Kerwin, Ph.D VICE Cecilia Rouse to the University of Rhode Island Board of Trustees for a term expiring February 1, 2022.

Committee on Education recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

7. Reappointment of Dr. Jeffrey A. Williams (Council on Postsecondary Education) to the Board of Education for a term expiring January 31, 2024.

Committee on Education recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

8. Reappointment of Rachelle Green (Council on Postsecondary Education) to the Board of Education for a term expiring January 31, 2023.

Committee on Education recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

9. Reappointment of Michael Sabitoni to the Rhode Island Resource Recovery Corporation for a term expiring July 1, 2024.

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

10. Reappointment of Raymond Coia, Vice Chair (Appointed/Elected Official Representing Coastal Municipality Over 25,000) to the Coastal Resources Management Council for a term expiring January 31, 2024.

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

11. Reappointment of Donald Gomez (Appointed Representing Coastal Community with Population Less Than 25,000) to the Coastal Resources Management Council for a term expiring January 31, 2024.

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

12. Reappointment of Jennifer R. Cervenka, Chair (Public Member) to the Coastal Resources Management Council for a term expiring January 31, 2024.

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

13. Appointment of Ernest Almonte VICE Bruce Campbell to the Narragansett Bay Commission for a term expiring April 1, 2024.

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

- 14.** Appointment of Vahid Ownjazayeri as Chair of the Rhode Island Infrastructure Bank VICE Merrill Sherman of the Rhode Island Infrastructure Bank for a term expiring March 1, 2023.

Committee on Finance recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

- 15.** Reappointment of Scott Lajoie to the Rhode Island Infrastructure Bank for a term expiring March 1, 2022.

Committee on Finance recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

- 16.** Reappointment of Joshua Celeste, Esq. to the Rhode Island Infrastructure Bank for a term expiring March 1, 2022.

Committee on Finance recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

- 17.** Reappointment of Susan Leach DeBlasio to the Quonset Development Corporation for a term expiring December 31, 2023.

Committee on Finance recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

- 18.** Reappointment of Jean Rondeau to the State Retirement Board for a term expiring March 1, 2025.

Committee on Finance recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

- 19.** Reappointment of Stephen McAllister II to the Rhode Island Housing and Mortgage Finance Corporation for a term expiring July 1, 2025.

Committee on Finance recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

- 20.** Reappointment of Nicolas P. Retsinas to the Rhode Island Housing and Mortgage Finance Corporation for a term expiring July 1, 2025.

Committee on Finance recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

- 21.** Reappointment of Maria Barry to the Rhode Island Housing and Mortgage Finance Corporation for a term expiring July 1, 2025.

Committee on Finance recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

- 22.** Appointment of Peter Mancini VICE Catherine Parente to the Convention Center Authority for a term expiring June 30, 2025.

Committee on Finance recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

- 23.** Appointment of Marcy Reyes to the Rhode Island Public Transit Authority Board of Directors for a term expiring April 1, 2024.

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

- 24.** Reappointment of William Facente to the Personnel Appeal Board for a term expiring April 1, 2027.

Committee on Labor recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

- 25.** Reappointment of Stan Israel (Representing Labor) to the Rhode Island State Labor Relations Board for a term expiring August 1, 2027.

Committee on Labor recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

- 26.** Reappointment of Scott Duhamel (Representing Labor) to the Rhode Island State Labor Relations Board for a term expiring August 1, 2027.

Committee on Labor recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

- 27.** Reappointment of Michael Grey (Employer Representative) to the Governor's Workforce Board for a term expiring January 1, 2024.

Committee on Labor recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

28. Reappointment of Robin Coia (Labor Representative) to the Governor's Workforce Board for a term expiring January 1, 2024.

Committee on Labor recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

29. Reappointment of George Nee (Labor Representative) to the Governor's Workforce Board for a term expiring January 1, 2024.

Committee on Labor recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

30. Appointment of Janet Raymond (Employer Representative) VICE John Gregory to the Governor's Workforce Board for a term expiring January 1, 2024.

Committee on Labor recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

31. Appointment of Marc Amato (Chair of Local Workforce Investment Board/designee VICE Janet Raymond to the Governor's Workforce Board for a term expiring January 1, 2024.

Committee on Labor recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

32. Appointment of Jordan Boslego (Representing Employer/Disabilities) to the Governor's Workforce Board for a term expiring January 1, 2024.

Committee on Labor recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

33. Reappointment of Steven Kitchin (Local Workforce Representative) to the Governor's Workforce Board for a term expiring January 1, 2024.

Committee on Labor recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

34. 2021-S [13 SUB A](#) [\(See Amendment\)](#)

BY Goodwin

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION

Committee on Education recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

35. 2021-S [63](#) [\(See Amendment\)](#)

BY Gallo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -
DEPARTMENTS OF STATE GOVERNMENT

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

36. 2021-S [1](#) [\(See Amendment\)](#)

BY Quezada

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- MINIMUM
WAGES

Committee on Labor recommends passage.

37. 2021-S [74](#) [\(See Amendment\)](#)

BY Goodwin

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

38. 2021-S [50](#) [\(See Amendment\)](#)

BY Euer

ENTITLED, AN ACT VALIDATING AND RATIFYING AMENDMENT TO THE
CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF JAMESTOWN

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

39. 2021-S [52](#) [\(See Amendment\)](#)

BY Rogers

ENTITLED, AN ACT VALIDATING AND RATIFYING AMENDMENTS TO THE
HOME RULE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF COVENTRY

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

40. 2021-S [53](#) [\(See Amendment\)](#)

BY Algieri

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF WESTERLY TO
ISSUE NOT TO EXCEED \$2,000,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS, NOTES AND
OTHER EVIDENCES OF INDEBTEDNESS TO FINANCE THE CONSTRUCTION,
RENOVATION, IMPROVEMENT, ALTERATION, REPAIR, FURNISHING AND
EQUIPPING OF SCHOOLS AND SCHOOL FACILITIES IN THE TOWN

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

John E. Fleming, Jr.
Secretary of the Senate

Tuesday, February 2, 2021

Updated: Thursday, February 4, 2021